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AMENDMENT

 $\label{thm:condition} This amendment is in response to the Official Action dated December 7, 2006. \ Please amend$ the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claim 6 and amend claims 1, 11 and 45-46 as follows: